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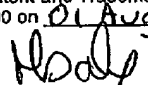
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This is a reply to the May 11, 2006 Office Action for the above-captioned U.S. patent application.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

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